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The Bethel Oxford County Citizen

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WOODSMEN'S COMMITTEE EXPRESSES THANKS
Thanks to: Robert Brown, Hanover, and Chapman and Wheeler Logging Inc. for the wood; P. H. Chadbourne for sawing the 10"x10"s; L. E. Davis Lumber Co. for the log rolling log; David Kennison for re-setting the log; Ernest Angvine for post hole digger; Rex Thurston for show chairman job; Dana Bean, first assistant and judge; Fred Burk, announcer; Bryce H. Yates, head judge; Bill Myers, judge; Dave Myers, judge; John Van Deusen, judge; Alanson Loomis, judge; Stuart Cross, Gould Academy, Telstar, Henry Dombkowski and Clukey's for stop watches; Sam Chapman, special thanks for his PA system; Joe and Louise Robbier, Sandy and Roger Wheeler, and Howard Chapman, for clean-up help; Butch Crockett for his truck.
Show Secretary Louise Chapman would like to express her special thanks to the Bethel Inn for its cooperation and to Louise Robbier who she couldn't have done without, and to all who helped the funding of the show by taking ads for the Lions Club Booklet and by buying pins.

BORN
In Norway, July 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Hutchins (Elaine Conner) of Bethel, a daughter, Misty Lynn.
In Norway, July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Louise Barker (Judy Currier) of Bethel, a son Daniel Bradley.
MARRIED
In North Paris, July 10, by Rev. Morley Durost, Bruce Michael Farina of Woburn, Mass., and Miss Beth Eileen Oja of North Paris.
DIED
In Rumford, July 16, Dawn Marie Bates, aged 10 years.

CARD OF THANKS
My sincere thanks to all the Bethel friends who sent me greetings while I was in the hospital. And to the ambulance crew—their service was so efficient and friendly, it made the trip much less difficult. How fortunate we are who live in Bethel.
Evelyn Bennett

DEPT.
Fire Department at the Howe Hill Rd., Saturday, July 25, a. m. In the afternoon, auxiliary fire engine to be sold. All will be greatly appreciated. ACTION at the

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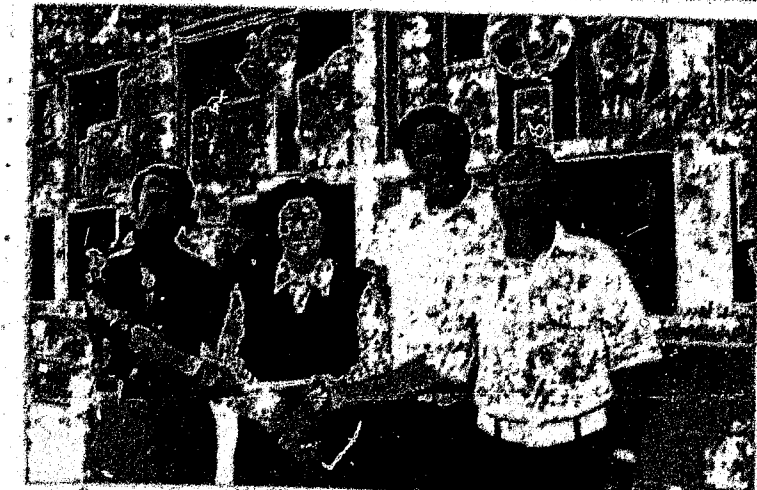
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NEW OWNER ACQUIRES RED LANTERN
— Harold J. Conners, former owner and operator of the well known "Sonny's" Italian Sandwich Restaurant in Bangor and Harry Jo's in Mexico recently acquired the Red Lantern Restaurant in Bethel. He has been in the restaurant business for over 25 years.



GROUP OF PARTICIPANTS at the Gliders of Mt. Abram summer competition on Sunday.

HANG GLIDING MEET WON BY 60 YEAR OLD ENTHUSIAST
Sunday morning was the second time Gliders of Mt. Abram tried to hold their annual club summer competition. Due to Saturday's rain and Sunday strong winds only 14 pilots participated in this

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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

On Monday night, the Board of Selectmen, in a four hour meeting, approved action on a number of items. Following a public hearing, a liquor license was approved for Kevin Mormelo and Jay Meyer for a restaurant in the former Luce Oil Building on Mill Road. The applicants presented their application and answered questions from the Board. The Town Manager stated the deed restrictions on the town owned parking lot behind the fire station and it was agreed that the applicants would provide parking facilities on their property and the town lot would not be used. No one in the audience spoke for or against the application.

Pat Doon, Shirley Olson, Don Cross, Dick Carter, and Bob Blake presented the Selectmen with a petition containing 451 signatures. The petition stated: "The following residents of the Town of Bethel, Oxford County, State of Maine, do hereby petition the Assessors of said town to postpone until the municipal year 1977 implementing the valuations determined pursuant to the authorization granted to said Assessors at the Town Meeting of Feb. 10, 1974."

Each person spoke of their concern over implementing the Sewall figures for 1976. Individuals expressed concern that because of school funding questions, methods used in computing values, and errors made, it would be beneficial to hold off implementation until more time could be spent evaluating the job done by Sewall. The Board discussed at length the concepts of the Sewall Company's revaluation process with the group and informed the group that the procedures used by the Sewall Company are accepted practice in the State.

Pursuant to the Board's request at their last meeting, alternate bids for a diesel powered dump truck were received and reviewed in relation to the bids previously received for a gasoline powered truck. After discussion with the Town Manager and Road Foreman, the Board voted to accept the bid of Carter Equipment Company (\$15,495) for a gasoline powered truck.

The following hot top program was accepted as recommended by the manager and highway foreman: Mill Hill Road from the corner of Church Street and Broad Streets to the corner by the continued on Page Four

EKKO MILL PICNIC
Any residents from Ekko Wood Products who wish to attend the mill picnic Aug. 7 please contact James Johnson or June Seames.

Is someone else's drinking a problem for you? AL-ANON Meetings every Wednesday night—8 p. m. in Bethel Savings Bank. Call 824-2233 or 824-2056 for information.

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SAILING ASSOCIATION HAS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

North Pond Sailing Association held a picnic and organizational meeting at Walter Hathaway's cottage on North Pond in Locke Mills.

Passersby on Route 26 may have noticed that lately every Sunday afternoon a large number of sailboats race around a predetermined course just to find out which boat can get there first. Under the direction of Blaine Mills, of Locke Mills (informally selected Commodore), races are held every Sunday at 1 p. m. Everyone wishing to participate is cordially invited. Although most of the boats participating are of the AMF Alcort (Saltfish-Sunfish class), any boat capable of carrying sail is welcomed. To participate in these Sunday afternoon races just show up on Rt. 26, North Pond in Locke Mills or contact Blaine Mills personally for rules and regulations.

WATER DISTRICT TRUSTEES TO MEET AUGUST 3
The trustees of the Bethel Water District will hold their monthly meeting at 7 o'clock in the Town Office, Tuesday evening, Aug. 3.

BEAN HOLE BEAN FESTIVAL SOUTH PARIS, SAT., JULY 31

Saturday, July 31, has been set for the annual Oxford Hills Bean Hole Bean Festival. This unique occasion held each year in the Norway-Oxford-South Paris area of Maine, features beans cooked in the real old time way, baked in cast iron kettles underground.

In addition, the Oxford County Fairgrounds will also be the site of the Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club Auction and the Oxford Freeman's Carnival the same day.

Chamber President Jim Delamater wants to make this the biggest year ever for the festival, especially with the addition of the carnival.

WESTERN MAINE ART GROUP CONDUCTING FUND-RAISING PROJECTS
The Fly for Art week and sponsored by the Oxford Plains Airways Inc. for the benefit of the summer program of the Western Maine Art Group was a huge success. To continue to raise funds for their summer project the group will sponsor an art sale on the lawn of the Art Center, Thursday, and Friday, Aug. 12 and 13 from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The Fifteenth Annual Members' Show will be held Aug. 3 to 15. The Center is open every day except Mondays.

Friday Gift Shop
EVERY FRIDAY
1-5 P. M.
United Methodist Church

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SAT., JULY 31 6 P. M.
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Jewelry of tumbled stones, cabochon, and fine faceted gems
in sterling silver, gold filled and 14 Kt. gold.
Beck ends, paper weights, ashtrays, Maine mineral sets, mineral specimens, gems, books, lapidary equipment and tools.
Beads, resins, Bicentennial Coins mounted.

REGULAR MEETING OF S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS HELD MONDAY EVENING

A regular meeting of the S. A. D. #44 board of directors was held Monday evening of this week in the Library at Telstar Regional High School.

It was announced by the Buildings and Grounds Committee that bids had been awarded for summer maintenance work as follows: five gymnasium doors, Woodstock Elementary School, N. & W. Builders, \$538.20; re-covering gym walls, Woodstock, N. & W. Builders, \$1,690; exterior painting, Locke Mills School, David Luxton of Bethel, \$1,360; exterior painting, Andover Elementary School, David Hutchins of Andover, \$920; roof repair, Andover Elementary School, David Luxton, \$1,239; roof repair, Ethel Disbee School, N. & W. Builders, \$2,805; roof repair (\$240), re-roofing chimney (\$1,230.50), Woodstock Elementary School, David Luxton. Terms of bidding provide for completion of the work by Sept. 4. It was the decision of the Buildings and Grounds Committee that the project of replacing sills and re-roofing at the Locke Mills School storage area be done by employees of the school district.

It was announced that a meeting of the Finance Committee had been scheduled with municipal officials of the district's member towns to seek their advice on the disposition of an apparent net unassigned surplus of \$102,639.28 after completion of fiscal year 1976. Options available are: to leave the money in the bank and apply to fiscal year 1978 budget; call a special district meeting and ask that the surplus be allocated for specific educational purposes in the current fiscal period (FY 77); or asking permission of a special district meeting to apply the funds toward reducing the school appropriation for FY 77. The Finance Committee will make a recommendation to the board of directors for action at their meeting of Aug. 9.

The board gave authorization to pay tuition for Rumford for two children, grade two and nine, of Donald Fornum of Billings, W. Woodstock. It appeared that the cost of transporting the students to S. A. D. 44 schools would exceed the expense of paying tuition.

The board accepted the resignation of Nicholas Clements as an instructor in the Science Department at Telstar. Authorization was granted to post vacancy occasioned by the resignation.

The directors granted final approval to a policy implementing provisions of Title IX relating to

THE CITIZEN OFFICE
WILL BE CLOSED
SATURDAY, JULY 31

REMEMBER:
Church Supper, tonight (Thursday) 6 p. m., Albany Church. Adults \$2, Children under 12, \$1 adv.

ROBERTS POULTRY FARM
JUMBO 5 doz. \$4.75
LARGE 5 doz. \$4.15
MEDIUM 5 doz. \$3.80
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Rain or Shine
July 31, 1976
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Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.
Attention Kids: There will be two 5-Day Clubs this year from Aug. 20. Kenneth Roberts will hold one at his home from 1-2 p. m., and the other will be at the Sunday School Room from 3-4. Bible lessons, songs and games will be enjoyed. All school age children are invited.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Abbott of Portland and Mrs. Hattie Curtis, West Sumner.

Mrs. Lester Cole, accompanied by her daughter, Charlotte, was in Lewiston Friday to see Dr. Wolf for a check up on her eyes. She is improving but will have to go for another check up in two weeks.

Mrs. Diane Dickinson and sister, Rebecca Smith, of Wallingford, Conn., came this week to spend a week visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Lapham. They will return on Saturday, taking Kathleen Smith back with them.

Stacey Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts, has been spending the week in Bethel, Conn., visiting his brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts, Jr.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford last week were Mrs. Harriett Rix and Miss Gladys Barker of Rumford who brought a delicious luncheon with them which they all shared.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Lester Cole were Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mrs. Laura Seames, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dunham, Mrs. Lee Mills, all of Locke Mills; Mrs. Marion Tibbets and Mrs. Charlotte Davis of Norway; Elwin Cole and daughter, Lynn, of West Peru, and Mrs. Elvira Churchill, of Bethel.

Mrs. Verna Smith and her brother, John Smith, of Livermore Falls, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mills. Following the dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Mills and John Smith went to Powhatan Place, Oxford, where they spent the afternoon visiting Margie Mills.

Visiting last week at the home of Mrs. Anne Kimball were her daughter, Yvonne Petak, St. Peterburg, Fla., granddaughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Francis and children of Leeds, and sister, Mrs. Edna Webster and son, Marlan of Portland.

Mrs. Linda Cole is visiting friends in Bangor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gaudet, Lisa and John, Yarmouth, are spending this week at their camp on Twichell Pond.

Mrs. Blanche Bennett, Freeport, returned to her home Sunday at

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HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY
Kathy Bennett, Corres.
A fire in the old cookstove sure felt good this morning! Next week we will probably be sweetening!

Callers at the home of Sarah Andrews this week were, Cornelia Hartman, of Massachusetts, Christine Kimball and Diane Leighton. On Wednesday, Mrs. Richard Per-

son and Mrs. Donald Redfern, of Connecticut called on Sarah and took her to Papoose Pond Camping area for a visit with their families. A good time was had by all.

Barbara and Howard Inman attended a square dance meeting at Bob and Millie Pope's camp on Norway Lake.

Callers at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns were Mrs. Clarence Waterhouse and Beverly, and Maude and Gertrude Harrington.

Ed and Alberta White and Rodney and Lelia McAllister called on the Albert McAllisters this last week.

Callers at KOD's Acres this week have been, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nutting, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Maillet, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Twitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Roydon Billings.

Mike, June and Shelly Inman joined us for supper Saturday night and later they took our boys Dave and Dan, to the Drive-In to see Peter Pan.

The end of haying is in sight for this year! If the weather co-operates we will be done by this week end.

Don't forget the supper tonight, July 29, at 6 p. m., at the Albany Church. Coming up soon, on Aug. 7, will be the Hunt's Corner Cemetery Association supper and sale.

That's all for this week. Take care and enjoy the fine weather. "Let me live in the house by the side of the road and be a friend to man."

ter spending three weeks at Charlotte Cole's camp lot.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford enjoyed the picnic supper at the Hideaway Cottage Tuesday evening.

Miss Ella June Morse, R. N., returned to her home in Norway, Conn., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. Jean Grover and Douglass were in Rumford Monday evening shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fairbanks, Allens Mills, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole.

It has been reported that the Firemen's Auction brought in nearly \$1,700 Sunday. Perhaps something more official will be announced next week.

Mrs. Leona Curtis, East Bethel, was a Wednesday evening supper guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole.

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Greenwood City

Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres.
When taking a journey over the third early road of our town, starting from Milletville up over Young Hill, it was one of those brooding, changeable days. Clouds came and went like living creatures on their way to work. They sometimes hovered aloft caressing rugged mountain brows with gentleness, or wandered afar over the forests. The fir and pine spires stretched their soft silken fringes to reach them. We half expected rain but none came. After a while we made our way down the other side of the hill toward the Tubbs District. Then we stopped at the old cemetery to look about. It gave a very sad picture, no care, trees down and no flag to mark the resting places of two soldiers.

Here we turned again toward home.

Since then we have been busy. One afternoon after picking berries we took a boat ride up the Sanborn River. Of course this river does not fill the arching way with reverberating music, but it is sweetened at times by the song of a bird. It was a day ripe with mellow sunshine, contrasting brightly with the blue-blue of the sky.

Long spiky shadows crept out across the waters. Everything was calm and bright. Sunbeams came pouring through and the fir spires caught the glow. Beautiful and impressive contrasts met us everywhere: trees and flower colors, light and shade, tangles and supple bushes, and the swash and gurgle of boat and oars.

The glad waters were feeling their way through the thickets. Some branches bending low showed nervous trembling gestures, as if afraid while others more supple dipped lightly, extremely confident, then rose again as if in play.

It was peacefully quiet. Myriads of small winged creatures; butterflies, dragonflies, water skippers, and others which added glad animation.

The air was indescribably spicy and exhilarating—fragrant with damp moss and aromatic flowers. The button bushes were in full bloom and so sweet.

Little paths led out through the forest and grass down to the water's edge showing us that little creatures keep in the shadows noiseless and protected.

No human habitation distracts the eye. The slow moving water flows at the same pace as always, timeless and unhurried. Cares fall away as things that matter; sunshine, moving water, birds, small animals, images, thoughts, memories; combine to place their spell upon us.

We moved up stream as far as possible missing nothing—not even the cedar wax wings with their grace and elegance, calling softly in high pitched, lipping monotonies. Their manner of flight is quite their own. They often wheel and plunge swiftly down as they did directly at us then settled on a bush.

A red squirrel really talked at us in every language he knew hoping that we'd move on. We did for who could listen to that for any length of time!

"Ruth took the oars and we were now facing down stream and toward the hills. The sculptured beauty of the trees formed an impressive feature of the landscape.

Noyes Mountain sprang keenly into the blue sky with sublimity where the sunbeams spread over the top.

A bull-frog uttered sonorous pronouncements from somewhere at the pond's edge.

Entering the pond we were among white streaks of arrow heads, and blue spikes of pickered weed painting a border to the shoreline. All that was lacking were the cardinal flowers to complete a patriotic picture.

We couldn't have chosen a more suitable day to be on a river, and bask in silence and solitude.

Doris Hayes, Ruth Hastings, and I attended Campus Days for retired teachers at Kents Hill on Monday. On Tuesday we met with other teachers at Whitney Pond and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and Danny, Windsor, were at the Holts on Sunday.

Ruth Hastings was in Gorham, N. H., to visit her son, Bill and family on Friday and Saturday.

Several from here attended the Morse-Kuvala wedding at Norway, Saturday afternoon.

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West Greenwood

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.
Bob, Mona and Alan Lowe spent the week end at Great Island, Bailey Island, and Orrs Island.

Yield Wilson, Locke Mills, and Mindy Wilson spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Alden and Irene Wilson. Vicki returned home

Curtis were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Curtis and family, Chesterville; Mildred Bowman, Hebron; Harry Mayberry, Norway; Lee Swan, Vermont; Phil Bentley, Auburn.

Mrs. Lucy Bragg and son called on her mother and sister on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottess, South Paris, visited her brothers, Frank and Fred Curtis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ridley, Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett, Locke Mills; Mrs. Evelyn Tamminen, Yarmouth, and Mrs. Annie Mills, Shapleigh, have been callers at my home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis were in West Peru recently where they visited Audrey Byron, Beatrice Putman and Audrey Wentzell.

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Andover

Mrs. Sharon Hutchins

Mardy Jodrey, the new correspondent would like all news items to be turned over to her by Monday noon at the latest. Now that the mail goes to Bethel via Auburn, the news needs to be in a day earlier at the Citizen Office.

The 64th annual Cole reunion, descendants of Virgil D. and Elizabeth Tufts Cole will be held on Aug. 8 at the home of John and Alice Cole Jodrey, East Andover, at 9:30 a. m. Games and contests will be played followed by a spaghetti dinner at noon. After which a meeting will be held. Please bring a pie or cake if you plan to attend.

Andover Historical Society — Work is progressing on their building. There have been cleaning and painting bees. Special thanks to Austin Daigle for work on the windows. Contributions continue to arrive from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Farrow, Barrington, R. I.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gros Jean, Woodstock, Conn.; and Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Merrill, Weston, Mass.

Gregory Peaslee and Cheryl Brown were married on July 18 at 3 p. m. at the Free Methodist Church of Munjoy Hill, Portland, by Rev. Cassen. Cheryl is the daughter of Mrs. June J. Brown, Munjoy Hill. Gregory is the son of Mr. S. Pearl Peaslee, Andover.

They were attended by Kathy Brown, friend of the bride, and S. Foster Peaslee, eldest brother of the groom. Attending the wedding from Andover were Pearl Peaslee, Anita Peaslee, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hutchins and Marcia.

Alfred Marston, Hollis Center, was in town this week end. Carolyn Whitten returned home with him to care for his daughter, Tiffanie, for the week.

OBSERVE 50th ANNIVERSARY

On July 25, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodson, Andover, were featured a golden wedding anniversary party by their sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodson, North Scituate, R. I., and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hodson, Fryeburg. The party was from 2 to 4 p. m. at the Hodson residence on Newton Street. The class of 1923, which Mrs. Hodson graduated, served the refreshments and circ-

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Hanover

Pam Morton, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ogden, former residents of Hanover, returned on a visit to Hanover last week, with their son, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ogden.

Warren Stearns is in Richmond,

Va., for the week.

The Ramsey family went to

Newport for a family reunion last

Saturday and Sunday.

Martha Stearns returned with

the Morton family to the Morton

camp in Naples on Tuesday. She

stayed on and was joined by her

family on Thursday night. The

Stearns family left for Hanover

Friday night.

Darlene and Danny Baker are

visiting relatives in Pennsylvania

this week while Jessica and Hea-

ther visit their grandmother, Mrs.

Mary Tripp, in Newry.

Mrs. Ann Morton and children

attended a family reunion at the

Bancroft family camp on Sebago

last Sunday. Paul Morton stayed

on at the camp, while the Mortons

returned to Naples. On Monday,

members of the Gamble and Ban-

croft families came to the Mor-

ton camp to visit and drop off

Paul and Mrs. Florence Hastings.

When the Mortons returned to

Hanover on Tuesday, they took

Mrs. Hastings home to East Beth-

el.

The Ladies Aid met at the

Rumford Point Church on Wednes-

day.

lated the guest book. Thelma

Clark, Margaret Learned and Be-

atrice Dresser. The three tier cake

was made and decorated by Sue

Field. Margaret Learned was in

charge of the money tree. Rachel

Hodson, granddaughter of the

couple, presented them with five

lovely red roses. One for each 10

years of marriage. Mrs. Hodson

was also presented a lovely laven-

der orchid corsage. Telephone

calls were received from Massa-

chusetts, New Hampshire and

granddaughter, Beth Hodson

from Virginia. Over 80 guests

signed the guest book. Those from

out of town were: Guy and Edwina

Hodson, Carmel; Phil and Mar-

ilyn Hodson, Bangor; Mr. and

Mrs. A. L. Croft, Hanover; Ed-

elyn Shields, Waterville; Rachel

Forbes, Rome, Maine; Tim Hod-

son, Fryeburg; Barry Hodson,

Carmel; Mr. and Mrs. Burton Ab-

bott, Bethel; Della Howard, Rum-

ford; Mr. and Mrs. John Adams,

Wilton; Lester and Eva Thurston,

Roxbury Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Ron-

ald McCarthy, East Wilton; Jeff-

rey Mallard, East Wilton; Ray

and Betty Hodson, North Scitu-

ate, R. I.; and Keith Hodson, Sci-

tuate, R. I., and Keith Hodson,

Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Miller,

and family, South Andover, have

returned to their home after

spending several days on the

coast.

The Bicentennial Committee

would like to remind people that

the parade on Aug. 14 will begin

at 9 a. m. For further details

contact Doris French.

The Andover quilt will be on

display on television Aug. 5, at

8:00, channel 6.

Company this week at the Rich-

ard Johnstons were Mrs. Melanie

Kerschner and daughter, Trudi,

and Mrs. Elise Jones and con-

James. They came to take Peter

Kerschner home who had been vis-

iting his grandparents.

Visiting minister this week at

the Andover Congregational

Church will be Thomas Ingham

from the Bangor Theological In-

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South Woodstock

Olive Davis, Corres.

Mrs. Mary Brown, who has been visiting her daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis, has returned home to Livermore.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Packard

visited Sunday evening with Mr.

and Mrs. Guyson Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks took

Olive Davis, Lyndall and Arline

Far Saturday night to Bear River

Grange C. W. A. meeting, where

Lettie served as Assistant Stew-

ard. Arline was on the program

and rendered a beautiful solo with

Lyndall as pianist for the even-

ing while Olive filled in as Master.

Refreshments were served after

the meeting which all enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown

called on his sister, Mrs. Guyson

Davis, Tuesday evening.

Jackie and Nell Tibbetts spent

last week end with their grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guyson

Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis

also had a call from Lorraine who

lives in Florida. The call was in

honor of Esther's birthday which

was Saturday, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilbur Jr.

and girls spent their vacation

camping at Cathedral of Pines,

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Bethel United Methodist Church

Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry
Organist,
Miss Ellen Lovejoy
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
11:30 a. m. Nursery during Wor-
ship Service.
Wednesday:
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at
the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.

West Parish
Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St. Bethel

Please be reminded that serv-
ices will not be held during Aug-
ust; they will resume on Sunday,
Sept. 5, at 10 a. m. Meanwhile,
members and friends of our
church are urged to worship at
another church of their choice.
For assistance in church matters,
please call Mrs. Emily Saunders,
chairperson of the Diocese. Have
a safe month; see you in Septem-
ber.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor
Reach out to Jesus — He is
reaching out to you.

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School in
the downstairs chapel.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.
6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 6 p. m. Bible Study
and Prayer Meeting at the Church.
For transportation to any ser-
vice, please call Mrs. Geraldine
Hainesburg, 255-3374.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rev. Donald R. Probst
29 Paris St., Norway
Tel. 743-2006

Saturday, 4:30 p. m.; Sunday,
11:00 a. m.; Holy Sacrifice of the
Mass.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal
Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel
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Bethel Gospel Center
at the Odd Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Youth Group, 5:00 p. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service,
7:45 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
James Brown, Choir Director
Mrs. Harriet Howell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Liturgy, Friday, 7:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:30 p. m.

Lecke Mills Union Church
Carlene Bradley
Church service, 9:30 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Study,
7:45 p. m.

Mrs. Richard Melville, organist
and choir director. Choir rehearsal
every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Lawford Hanson, Pastor
9:15 Sunday School.
10:30 Morning Worship Service.
6:00 Young People's Meeting:
Junior Young People's, grades 4-
8; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.
7:00 Evening Service.
Wednesday, Choir Practice,
8:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor
Albany Congregational Church
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
East Hingham Congregational
Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Church School.
North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Church School.

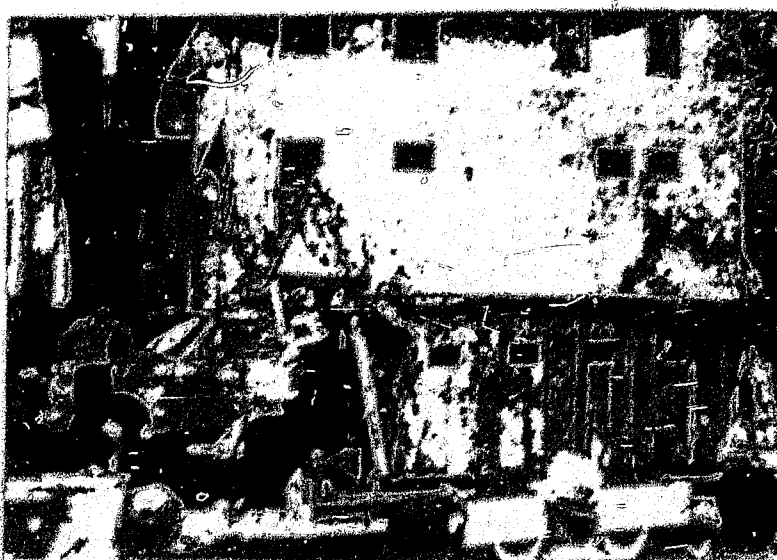
Henry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-
ney Hanson, Pastor. Robert De-
van, Organist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group Meets Sunday at
8:30 p. m.

West Parish Universalist Church
John Doyle, Minister
Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
Liturgy, 6 p. m.

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Rumford Point
Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Miss Mary Lou Burns,
Supt. of Church School
Sunday, Aug. 1:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Church-
es, the Lesson-Sermon read from
the desk is the same. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Aug. 1: Subject—Love.
Golden Text: Jeremiah 31:3—The
Lord hath appeared of old unto
me saying, Yea, I have loved
thee with an everlasting love:
therefore with lovingkindness
have I drawn thee.

First Church of Christ Scientist,
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ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-
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way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday
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2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p. m.

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tend these services. Everyone is
welcome.

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M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-
centered lessons; Classes for all
ages; Adult class.
Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.
First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover

James E. Bosworth, Pastor
Mrs. Linda Burnham, Organist
Mrs. Shirley Fifield,
Music Director
Daniel Kraft,
Church School Superintendent
Donald Mixer,
Assistant Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p. m.
Jr. Choir, Florence Kraft, Direc-
tor, 2:45 p. m.
Sanctuary Choir rehearses, 7:30
p. m.

Woodstock Seventh-day
Adventist Church
Pastor: Elder William Menashausen
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-
ing, 7:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ
of Latter-day Saints
Oxford Branch at the Branch
Chapel, Skeels Road, Oxford.
Sunday:
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-
zation): 9 a. m.
Primary (12-12 year olds): 9:45
a. m.
M.I.A. (12-18 year olds): 7 p. m.

Holy Resurrection
Orthodox Church
Rev. Michael Westenberg
Petrograd Street
Berlin, New Hampshire 03570
Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Ves-
pers
Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Litur-
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Feast days announced.

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SECOND PRIZE WINNER (cor-
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second place in the Mollycoddett
Day parade was incorrectly re-
ported last week. It should have been
The Covered Bridge, (shown ab-
ove) entered by the Andover Heri-
tage Day Committee.

BARRACKS & AUXILIARY #2242
MEET AUG. 2, SWAN'S CORNER
The Barracks and Auxiliary of
WV1 #2242 will hold their meet-
ing at the Swan's Corner picnic
area on Tuesday, Aug. 2. A busi-
ness meeting will be held at the
usual time and bring your own
lunch and enjoy the outdoor sun-
shine. The committee is Lola
Forbes, Selma Chapman and Mary
Bishop. If rainy it will be held at
the Legion Hall.

MRS. MORTON RECEIVES
AWARD AT BERLIN
ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW
The Fourth Annual Jaycees Art
and Crafts Show was held Satur-
day, July 24, in Berlin, N. H.
Judges were Bigoness Livingstone,
president of the New Hampshire
Art Association and Regional Di-
rector of the City Spirit Grant for
the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Re-
gion and Mrs. Louise Young, Field
Service Coordinator for the City
Spirit Grant.

Helen Anna Morton of Newry
was presented the North Country
Bank Award, her entry being an
oil on canvas entitled, "Japanese
Lantern."

Letters to the Editor
July 26, 1976
Upton, Maine

To the Editor:
Tuesday, July 20, the School
Board and new Supt. of Schools
of S. A. D. 44, a Mr. Smith, held
a board meeting. The citizens of
Upton were invited as they had
a particular problem that the S.
B. wanted resolved. They had this
problem last winter but a particu-
lar family didn't like the results
so they asked for a public meet-
ing.

The problem was to see if our
school bus would leave Route 28 to
pick up 2 children on a steep
and narrow dirt road, a distance
of a mile.

Last year the bus did leave
Route 28 to pick up 2 children
about 1/2 mile distance on a steep
hill on a far road.

The chairperson read a letter
from Mr. Blake of Bethel. He is
in charge of bus routes etc. in
Bethel. The S. B. had him view
the bus route last winter. He did
not recommend the bus go up
Back Street and stated his rea-
sons.

The chairperson also read Sec-
tion 3561 of the State of Maine
laws relating to public schools.
This section has relating to fam-
ilies living in a remote area being
responsible to get their children to
a main highway where they can be
picked up by the bus etc.

During the meeting the Supt.
wanted to see the road so they
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In and About Bethel

Mrs. Jeffrey Smith and Deasy,
Seal Harbor, were Saturday
through Monday guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Daniel Davis and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker Jr.,
Milford, Conn., are visiting this
week with their parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Guy Parker Sr. and Mr. and
Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

Helen Varner and Miriam Mc-
Allister, Bryant Pond, are leaving
by car Thursday morning for the
state of Washington to visit their
relatives. They will visit many
interesting places across the coun-
try.

Mrs. Judy Webster and Mrs.
Elaine Packard returned to New
Jersey last Thursday with Mr. and
Mrs. Fred Werner. They drove a
car back to Bethel for the Wern-
ers and visited relatives in Con-
necticut and New Hampshire on the
way.

Marine Private First Class James
J. Sweetser, 18, son of Mrs. Est-
her Sweetser of Route 1, Bethel,
has been meritoriously promoted
to his present rank upon gradua-
tion from recruit training at the
Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Par-
is Island, S. C. He received his
early promotion for his superior
performance during all phases of
the 11-week training cycle, which
emphasized physical conditioning,
self-discipline and teamwork. A
1976 graduate of Telstar Regional
High School, he joined the Marine
Corps in November 1975.

ALLEN BROS. CIRCUS SHOWING
AT TELSTAR FIELD TODAY
Thursday, July 29, is circus day
in Bethel. The Allen Bros. Magic
Circus will be setting up its old
fashioned one-ring big top for two
performances at 4 and 8 p. m.

The show is being sponsored by
the Bethel Emergency Ambulance
and Rescue Service as a fund
raising project to raise money for
their equipment fund.

The Magic Circus winters in
Norfolk, Va., but is owned by a
Maine native, George Allen, of
Portland. Allen's show has been
on the road since 1972 but has
been an indoor show, playing au-
ditoriums in larger communities
prior to this year. This summer,
the show is touring under a tent
in order to bring live entertain-
ment to the smaller communities
that don't have adequate building
facilities to house a traveling
show. Allen says that his circus is
pretty small compared to most
other shows in the business, as

most circuses now are large, three
ring affairs that visit only the ma-
jor communities in each state.

While the one ring circus does not
have all the big, stupendous fea-
tures of the larger shows, it does
provide a more intimate setting
with the patrons seated much
closer to the performance allow-
ing the children to feel more a
part of what is going on. Allen
says there are no bad seats in a
one-ring circus and you don't have
to try to decide which ring to
watch or feel that you are missing
part of the show because of so
much going on at once you can't
see it all. In the one-ring format,
each act is presented one at a
time and every patron gets to see
all of what is happening in the
tent at all times.

There won't be any elephants
with the show, but it does promise
to provide over an hour and forty
minutes of fun and will include
many traditional circus favorites
such as clowns, jugglers, acrobats,
a fire eater, sword swallower,
plate spinner, trained dogs and
feats of magic including floating
a lady in mid-air, live birds and
animals appearing and vanishing
by magic and a famous locked
trunk escape.

Tickets will be available at the
box office an hour before each
show and there will be plenty of
free parking for patrons on the
show grounds.

ATTENTION CARS
A Citizen Band radio club is be-
ing formed for the winter months.
Everyone is invited to participate.
The next meeting will be Sept. 22
at the fire station in Locke Mills.

BETHEL GUARD TO MEET
AND SHOOT AUG. 3
The August meeting and even-
ing shoot of the Bethel Rifle Guard
will be held at the range on Route
2 at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday, Aug. 3.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

Perfect happiness, I be-
lieve, was never intend-
ed by the Deity to be the
lot of one of his creatures
in this world; but that he
has very much put in our
power the nearness of our
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TOWN MANAGER'S COMMENTS

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Upon recommendation by the
Town Manager, the Board voted
to use \$5,000 of the \$15,000 of
state aid funds designated for the
East-Bethel Road to be used in
conjunction with special state aid
funds and federal funds to recon-
struct a section of the East Beth-
el/Locke Mills Road from approxi-
mately the Fowler residence to the
Holt residence. Originally we had
hoped to eliminate the bad
corner at the end of the section
previously reconstructed with our
state aid money, and reconstruct
the section from Fosters to Holts
with special state aid money and
federal money. Two factors caused
the change: (1) the full amount
of special state aid money antici-
pated was not available and thus
we were placed in a position of
providing part of the match for
federal funds, or losing these
funds and (2) it is excessively ex-
pensive to use federal funds on re-
construction projects which re-
quire acquisition of property.

In other actions, the Board vot-
ed to extend the four day, forty
hour week in the Highway Depart-
ment until Aug. 31, approved the
letting of bids for an intermediate
sized police car, discussed pro-
cedures for conducting public
hearings, heard a report from the
town manager on insurance for
recreation programs, reviewed the
June financial statement, discussed
sewer rate revision for Barry Tit-
comb and the Bethel Inn and
signed a supplemental tax war-
rant for 1975.

The Board confirmed the dates
for the August 2, 3, and 4 for hearings
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tion. Program has been approved

by the State Dept. of Education

to institute a program of instruc-

tion for adults with minimal

skills in writing, reading, etc. Due

to limited funds available, this

program will probably be able to

handle only eight to ten students

in its first year. High School

Equivalency Tests are being of-

fered on a limited basis through-

out the summer months, and courses

leading to diplomas for adults

will resume early in the fall. Gen-

eral personal enrichment courses

will continue to be offered to the

general public in the fall and

spring. The University of Maine

at Farmington will offer two Con-

tinuing Education Programs at the

college level in Bethel, one in the

fall and one in the spring, in the

area of Special Education and

Reading.

Brian Flynn, Telstar principal,

explained the 1976-77 schedule at

the school. The main points are

as follows: (1) There will be six

class periods a day which will

meet for 45 minutes; there will be

a two minute passing time be-

tween classes. (2) Faculty and

student lunch times will be fixed

between 10:30-11:30. Each faculty

member will be entitled to 30 min-

utes and students will be granted

20 minutes. Students, excluding

Seniors, will be assigned to study

areas for 40 minutes. (3) The Band

and Chorus groups at the Junior

and Senior high level will meet

daily from 10:30-11:10. Those stu-

dents will eat during the last 20

minutes of the scheduled lunch

period. (4) There will be a rotating

schedule which will cause classes

to meet at a different time each

day. (5) There will be no Floating

Block in the schedule but Activity

Periods will be scheduled accord-

CUB SCOUTS AT BOMAZEEN

OVERNIGHT SAT., JULY 24

On Saturday, July 24, 18 Cubs

and six dads from Bethel's Pack

550 traveled to Camp Bomazeen,

the Snowsboro District's Scout

Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —
Mr. and Mrs. Neeld Clark of De-
bray, Fla., and Mrs. Anne Clark
of New York City are at the
Clark cottage for the summer. Mr.
and Mrs. Parker Thomas of New-
ark, Del., are presently guests
there.

William Nies, free lance artist
of Little Falls, N. J., visited last
week with Mrs. Dorothy Truman
and Mrs. Marion Rick. Some of
his works will be exhibited at
Bethel Inn. Mr. Nies is currently
a teacher and student of art. Ms.
Leo Soriano was also a visitor
there.

Mrs. Marion Rich of Roanoke,
Va., and her cousin, Mrs. John
Adams of Elkton, Va., arrived
Thursday at her summer home
here.

Weston Flint and Irene Hap-
good of South Paris spent a day
recently with the Jesse Doyens.

Mrs. Louis Katz, Martha and
Jennifer, who spent last week with
her mother, Mrs. Marion Lincoln,
returned to their home in Metuch-
en, N. J., Saturday. Mr. and Mrs.
Joseph Blaha, Joey, Matthew and
Danny, arrived Friday night from
South Amboy, N. J., to visit her
mother, Mrs. Marion Lincoln.

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Mrs. David
Salway, Kasei and Brandon, visited
the Steve Beans in Otisfield
Thursday afternoon.

Brandon Salway attended the
Cub Scout camping week end at
Barnabaz.

Mrs. David Salway, and Kasei
attended the annual meeting of
COLA (Congress of Lakes Assn.)
held at Kents Hill on Saturday.

Recent callers at the Bill Ban-
croft have been, Grace Morrill,
George Gilbert, Eliot Hunt, Al-
bert and Eleanor McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bancroft vis-
ited Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Millett,
Waterford, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Dolph,
Levittown, Pa., is spending a cou-
ple of weeks with her sister and

East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —
Seven Senior Citizens of here at-
tended the Senior Citizens picnic
in Fryeburg. It turned out to be
a beautiful day, and a large crowd
gathered. The program was ex-
tremely good this year. Steve Tay-
lor of Norway catered with hot
dogs and coffee. Punch was also
served. Two gift tables had some
very pretty things to sell. Every
one had a good time and are
looking forward to next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Shumaker of Mas-
sachusetts called on friends and
relatives here one day last week.
She used to be Beta McAllister,
the daughter of the late Merton
McAllister and wife.

Mrs. Grace Nelson and Mrs.
Grace Kilgore went to Harrison to
see Dr. Martin, Friday.

The Nelson family all went to
their camp at Wilson's Mills for
the week end. There were 20 of
them.

The Claggett of Washington are
visiting this week at the Antlers
on Lake Virginia.

Mrs. Brenda Hatstat is really in
the rabbit business. She has some
very pretty ones, all colors and
all pelt.

The church supper was well at-
tended Thursday night. Those tak-
ing charge were, Mrs. Inez Bar-
ker, Mrs. Merice Barker, Mrs.
Nancy Barker and Mrs. Loretta
Andrews.

George Brown and family are
visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Ted Brown. Ted is seriously ill
at his home here.

Skip Martin, son of Bob Mar-
tin of Harrison, has been visiting
Mrs. Vesta Nelson for a few days.

husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Par-
sons.

Miss Elisha Parsons of Jupiter,
Fla., spent last week with her
grandparents, Jack and Eleanor
Parsons.

Nothing is so contagious as en-
thusiasm.

ton Bartlett on Bunganet Pond in
Alfred Sunday.

Mrs. Chester Harrington and
Dori Harrington attended the
Remington Reunion on Keoka
Lake in Waterford Sunday. Mr.
and Mrs. Wayne Bean, Staci and
Jennifer, were also there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds
and grandson, Barry, Mr. and Mrs.
Wendell Moore of South Paris,
were Wednesday visitors of Mr.
and Mrs. Chester Harrington.

Mrs. Lottie Shackley of Auburn
and Albert Bennett of Livermore
were Sunday visitors of Mr. and
Mrs. Almon Coolidge.

Charlotte Davis and Marian
Tibbets of Norway were Sunday
visitors of Mrs. Leona Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns
and Linda of Rumford Corner;
John Foster of Andover were sup-
per guests of Mr. and Mrs. David
Foster Friday. Mrs. Walter Ham-
lin of South Waterford visited the
Fosters Saturday. Mrs. Paul Kim-
ball and James of Locke Mills vis-
ited the Fosters Monday after-
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coolidge are
receiving congratulations on the
birth of a daughter, 9 lbs., 5 1/2
oz., Tina Lynn, on July 28, in
Rumford Community Hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. John Dillingham
of Springfield, Mo., were week
end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis
Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Chamberlin
and sons, Joshua and Zachary, of
Canaan, were week end guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bean,
Rumford; Mrs. Dorothy Graves,
West Bethel; Mrs. Ned Hutchin-
son, Bethel; Mrs. Lillian Bartlett;
Mrs. Dorothy Bartlett and Clark
Bartlett were guests at a Seafood
barbecue at the cottage of Clay-

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tion was planned by their sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sweetser and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Sweetser.

The couple was married on July 20, 1946, in Bethel, by Rev. John J. Foster, pastor of the West Parish Congregational Church, with Henry Sweetser and Sarah Stevens as their attendants.

Those attending the party in-
cluded: Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Sweetser, Michele Kevin and Kim-
berly; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sweetser, Thomas and Mitchell; Ronald and Brent Lizotte; An-
drew and Laurie McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stevens; Isobel Stone; Grace Olson and Judy; Mrs. Carolyn Brooks; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker, Milford, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Waite, Mexico; Mrs. Joy Dooen, Bruce and Andrew, Jerry Madeau, Lisbon Falls; Mrs. Mary Merrick and Kathie, Au-
burn, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sargent Jr., Bobby, Susan, Scott and Barbara, Mrs. Evelyn Berry and Leanne, Jamaica Plain, Mass. Un-
able to attend but sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sweetser, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Olson, Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson, West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Aarne Cummings, Hartland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burman Francis
and grandson, Earl Jr., of Norway
spent the week end at their camp.

Mrs. Annie Labbee, Berlin, was
a week end visitor of the Donald
Glover family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Petrie came
Wednesday to their cottage and
returned home Tuesday. Week end
visitors of the Petrie's were Elroy
Rideout Jr., Marion Rideout, Billy
Rideout, Dorothy Bennett, Wendy
and Steve.

The Donald Glover family took
her mother back to Berlin Sunday
afternoon and stayed to see the
Bicentennial parade.

Mrs. Muriel Potter and children
from Lacombe, N. H., have moved
in with her father, Wendell Sweet-
ser, until they can find an apartment.
She has employment at the factory
at the Balsams.

Margaret Olson recently visited
her sister, Mary Angevine and
family in Bethel, but has now re-
turned to the home of her sister,
Hazel Moody.

Our new mail man is Jay Martin
of Berlin, as Rodney Hawkins, who
was delivering the mail, has gone
to a college in Michigan.

We are having rain and more
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Sunday River

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —
Dr. Loy Harrell and son made
a short call as he was on his way
of Norway.

Daryl Joselyn of Lancaster, Pa.,
is making a motorcycle trip in
Maine visiting former friends.
This week end he is at Mr. and
Mrs. Clayton Blake's.

Carroll (Tom) Yates arrived
Saturday evening from Golden,
Colo., for a 10 day visit with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates,
and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ferry of
Burlington, Vt., are at the Morris-
son cottage in Ketchum for two
weeks.

Mrs. Eva Yates and Russell were
in Lewiston where she was exam-
ined for eye surgery in the near
future.

Mrs. Gmeunder and children re-
turned home early last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Orfina
were in town calling on Mrs. Fleet
Thursday evening.

A family get together was held
at Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates as

a welcome to Tom as he had two
grandchildren he had never seen.
Mrs. Eunice Hathaway had com-
pany Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ferry called
on Julia Fleet Sunday after-
noon.

Mrs. Marshall Rolfe and daugh-
ter-in-law called at David Fleet's
Sunday from North Waterford.

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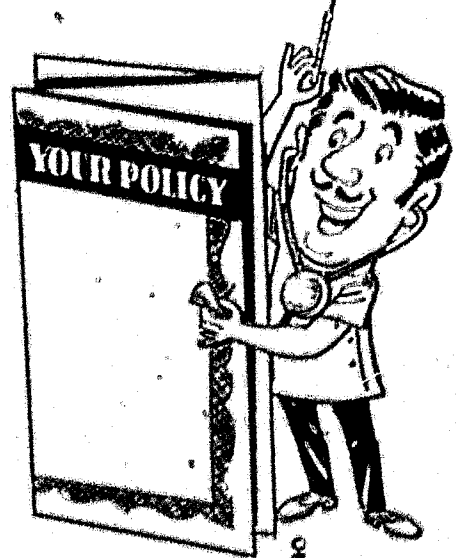
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The Daughters of V
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away, Harriet and
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delicious supper wa
the hostesses.

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way, JoAnn Hoyt, and

West Paris

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ing her parents, Mr. a
Hibler, Mr. and Mrs.
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Doris Jones and Jof
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Mrs. Madelyn Herrie
Mrs. Doreen Green,
Shane, Myron Herrie
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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur
the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley
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Did Mrs. Randal Chas
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day.

Members of the S
Sportmen's Club can
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in Greenwood.

Plans are underway
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Mary Emory.

Nine members of th
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— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

The Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet Thursday, Aug. 5, at the Town Hall. The Norway-Paris Senior Citizens Band will be guests at a dinner, and will entertain in the afternoon. The dinner will be pot luck. Each member will be asked to bring a casserole, a salad, or a donation toward expenses. Place settings will be furnished by the group.

Dan and Geneva Kime, missionaries to Panama, are in the area and will be guest speakers at the Baptist Church Sunday, Aug. 1, both at the morning and evening services.

The Daughters of Veterans members were guests of Phyllis and Della Jordan, Waterford, Monday evening for a picnic. The following attended: Beth and JoAnn Hoyt, Beatrice Farnum, Hazel Brooks, Helen Ring, Ruth Dunham, Alice Wardwell, Edith Hattaway, Harriett and Elaine Bates and Phyllis and Della Jordan. A delicious supper was served by the hostesses.

Thirty-four children attended the Vacation Bible School held last week at the Baptist Church. Teachers and helpers were Ellen Hanson and Beth Hoyt, Joy Hattaway, JoAnn Hoyt, and Alta Pierce.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Chamberlain, Brian, Chuck and Richard Beabaut, Hornell, N. Y., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Hibler. Mr. and Mrs. James Gessner, Kristen and Andrea, Mrs. Donna Jones and Jeffery, also of Hornell, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain at North Pond. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hibler were friends from Johnson City, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Al Lamphere.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Millett, Arkansas; Mrs. Frances Millett and Andrea, Stan Beleckis, Lewiston; Mrs. Madelyn Herrick, Norway; Mrs. Dorcy Green, Lisa and Shane, Myron Herrick, Mrs. Dorothy Green, South Paris; called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram, Mrs. Lyndell Farr, Arlene Farr, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cram and Amy called on relatives in Sanford, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Chase, were at Chase's camp in Greenwood, Sunday.

Members of the Mollycodd Sportsmen's Club camped over the week end at the campgrounds in Greenwood.

Plans are underway for an auction to be held Aug. 31, benefit of the West Paris United Methodist Church and the Boy Scouts. Anyone having articles they would like to have picked up and stored for the auction may call John Coyle or Mary Emery.

Nine members of the Forward Fellowship held their meeting and supper at Snow's Falls picnic area Monday evening. Cynthia Lamb and Joan Coyle are chairmen for the eating booth at Old Home Days. Mary Emery, Joyce Lamb and Avis Steinhorn are on the float committee.

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West Bethel

— Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres. —

John Wheeler, who received a severe cut on his foot while working in the woods in Upton, is recuperating satisfactorily. This week he had a walking cast put on and can get around some now without crutches.

Pleasant Valley Grange members and guests met at the hall on Thursday evening July 22 for the bi-centennial meeting and supper. The tables were attractively arranged with bi-centennial place mats, napkins and glasses with a floral arrangement of red, white and blue flowers and candles by Anita Ferrand. A nice supper was served to 24 after which the group enjoyed a tour of the Moses Mason House in Bethel. After the tour they returned to the hall for the regular monthly meeting with 14 members and one visitor attending. During the business meeting it was voted to give the use of the dining hall to the Day Care Center of West Bethel for a supper, as a community project. A donation of \$10 to Bethel Historical Society. Next meeting will be held on August 26 with a supper at 6 and meeting at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe's grandchildren, Tammy, Ted and Phillip Bertlett of Peabody, Mass., are spending a vacation with their grandparents. They expect to be here until around the middle of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Westleigh and Jimmy, took Lisa Westleigh to Pondicherry Camp, South Bridport, where she will be spending the next two weeks.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Westleigh were Mrs. Frances Bennett, Bethel, Miss Isabelle Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lemay and three children of Merrimack, N. H., spent the week end of July 17, with Mrs. Frances Bennett in West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuvier Hutchinson of Farmington and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Swan and three children of Dixfield were over the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. Swan and three children visited Story Land in New Hampshire, while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell and daughter, Melanie of Shirley, Mass., came Friday night to spend the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Gordon Mason's grandson, Christopher Grant of Yarmouth, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mason for the past two weeks and helping out with some of the work around the place. They are in hopes he will be with them another week.

Mrs. Mason's daughter, Mrs. Ernest Grant visited the Masons recently. While here Mrs. Grant and her mother went to Buckfield to visit a cousin, Mrs. Henry Holmes. They also did some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grant and sons, Michael and Andrew of Yarmouth, were in New Hampshire and visited Franconia Notch on the week end. They arrived back in Maine in time to have supper with her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Abbott of Norway were visitors at Mrs. Grace Hutchinson's Sunday.

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— Eveline Barrett, Corres. —

We are all trying to get used to the new mail schedule. Mail has to go at least one whole day earlier and sometimes two.

The walls and woodwork at the hall have had a coat of paint and it looks good. Several boys and girls wielded the paint brushes and it was good practice. A Norge refrigerator and electric stove have been donated; bushes near the flag pole have been cut so if a person on Route 219 should happen to glance down street, he would see Old Glory flying high.

Lenwood Andrews made a plaque to be put in the hall and an honor roll will also be put in the hall, to honor all veterans of all wars from the North Paris area. This must be our bi-centennial year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel O'Brien were at Dr. Martin's, Harrison,

visit Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sennett and Mrs. Cummings sister, Mrs. Albert Downing.

The Lovejoys and Cummings were at the Ledgewood Home in West Paris on Sunday, calling on Miss Lillian Lovejoy and several others, then went to visit Mr. and Mrs. Warren Waterhouse and Mrs. Elizabeth Farr Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Archambault of St. Petersburg, Fla., attended a dance at Papoose Pond to hear the Lovejoy orchestra on Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Cummings joined them.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings were in West Paris to

West Bethel Youth Group. We voted on going bowling Wednesday and the vote was unanimous. We had a surprise party for our leader, Donald York. The party was followed by some very exciting games which we all enjoyed. — Sec., Jody Haines

and the Mr. went to Norway Hospital for X-rays.

Mrs. Doris Lawrence, Brenda and Sherry Millett, Greenwood City, attended the wedding of their cousin Sharon Kuvaja, West Paris, to Clifford Morse at Norway and also the reception held at the Norway Legion Hall, July 24.

Callers at the Barrett's have been Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thibault, Norway; Ernest Knightly, Oxford; Brenda Millett, Doris Lawrence, John Estes, Joe Kallinowski.

The Saturday night supper was a "howling success". As one looked down street from the four corners it looked like the Oxford County fair grounds. Cars were even parked across the bridge. 35 pies graced the tables and only two pieces of pie were left. Mrs. Brett made hot yeast rolls and 1 made five dozen, raisin bran muffins which disappeared like mad so I am not the only bread eater. But that's what we made them for. There were two people from Millinocket, and three from Burlington, Vt. After the supper a man came along and kissed me thinking I was Adeline Stevens. (For once I was glad Adeline was in Montreal). Then when I told some of the waitresses about it they hollered to Roland Curtis and told him that he hadn't even said hi to them so the kissing began again. Several from away made donations to the hall fund. Several promised to be on hand for the flag raising, Aug. 15, at 10 a. m. Last week I reported incorrectly that Joe Perham would do the honors. He will be away at that time so Rodney Abbott, local, will do the honors. Charles Knauer,

Mexico, will sing and I haven't heard what I am to do, maybe keep quiet.

Mr. and Mrs. Kallinowski and Doris Lawrence went to Rumford Point to the supper, then to North Waterford to Warren Cairns' brother house. Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Yeaton and Mrs. MacKenney also went.

Mrs. Adeline Stevens, Mrs. Evelyn Chamberlain, Gail, Julie Ojo, went to the Olympics, Montreal, Thursday.

Callers at the Lawrences, Mrs. Hazel Collette, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Coffin, Jeff, Jim, Stevie, Hakala, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penley, Sr., Mrs. Ruby Coffin, Sherry Millett.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson are making inside repairs on their house, preparing to move back.

Mrs. Rosie Duda and two daughters, Phoenix, Ariz., spent the past week with her sister, Lois O'Hearon and family. Quite a change in the climate.

Eveline Barrett has an automatic portable washer.

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BILLINGS - MILLS

Tamara I. Mills and Malcolm L. Billings were wed in the home of the bride's parents, July 3. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling A. Mills of Bryant Pond. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings, also of Bryant Pond.

Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor of the Bethel Mills Methodist Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Decorations of daisies, white gladioli and blue baby's breath were used for the occasion. Wedding music was played with Cathy Littlefield at the piano.



Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Billings

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a long gown of white voile and lace. She carried a cascade bouquet of daisies and blue baby's breath. Betsy A. Mills was maid of honor for her sister and wore a long gown of beige voile and lace with pastel pink and blue flowers. She carried a bouquet of pink, blue and white carnations. Timothy S. Mills, brother of the bride served as best man. Another brother, Jeffery R. Mills, was usher.

Following the ceremony the bride and groom greeted their guests at the Conservation Campus, Bryant Pond, where an outdoor reception with a chicken barbecue was held. In charge of the guest book was Suzanne Billings, sister of the bridegroom. Louisa Chapman, sister of the bridegroom and Debra Buck supervised the gift table. Serving at the punch bowl were Paula Mills and Betsy Mills. The four tier wedding cake was served by Linda Fraser, another sister of the bridegroom. After the wedding toast the couple departed for a coastal trip.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Telstar Regional High School. The groom is also a graduate from Telstar and is employed by P. H. Chadbourne, Bethel.

GARDEN NOTES

As I was driving through Vermont headed for Upton, I couldn't help admiring the old farm houses I passed. It made me think how popular, partly through nostalgia for things long gone and partly for their own real charm, 19th and early 20th century houses and their furnishings have become. Witness to this are the numerous antique shops which seem to spring up like mushrooms in wet weather. Kitchen gardens and herb gardens are once more desirable additions to our landscape plans. But how few new home owners, even though they furnish their home with treasures found in antique shops, take a really seeing view of the old shrubs growing around a farm house or village home as to enhance its charm. Listing a few old favorites, there should be included the old shrub roses, lilacs, bridal wreath, forsythia, deutzia, viburnum or snowball bush, and of course great clusters of perennials such as gold-crowns with their nodding yellow pom-poms, white phlox, scarlet bee-balm to attract the humming birds and spiky stalks of hollyhocks.

How seldom do we see an old house in northern New England that looks at all comfortable with formal clipped beds of evergreen shrubs as foundation planting? Partly of course, the winter snow falling from eaves necessitates unsightly barriers to protect against broken branches which so quickly ruin the perfection of a carefully groomed planting, and partly I suspect, because our forefathers simply didn't think in that direction. And why should they have? So much of what they did was right in its own way. I remember a planting in front of an old house in Upton, back in the 1930's of the red rose of Lancaster, one of the oldest roses in cultivation or so I have read, famous in history as the red rose in the War of Roses. It is a low growing spreading rose with soft, semi-double blossoms. Combined as it was here with lilacs and the soft drapery of woodbine, or Virginia Creeper on the house and woodshed, little more was needed to create an ageless picture-book effect.

I do hope more young home owners think in this direction once again. I would enjoy hearing from old garden hands about shrub and perennial favorites that they have found to do well in our area and what, if any, special conditions facilitate this. One finds, with moving things around experimentally, that some prefer a sunny spot with dry feet or a shady spot and damp feet, a warm place against a wall facing south, or greater protection from winter sun and drying winds. Let me hear from you and I'll share the information with one and all.

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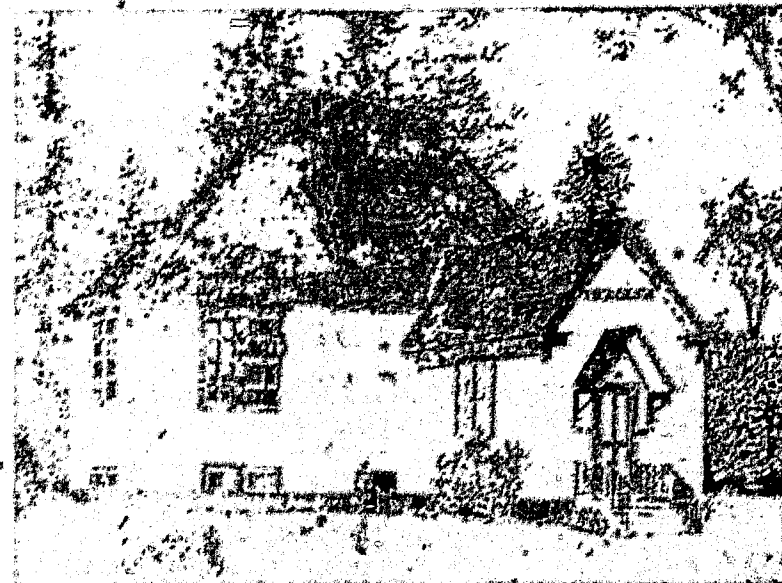
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At present, the names on the plaque are as follows: King's Daughters—Emily Thurston's 95th Birthday; Memory of Diane Seawood—Andover Friday Club; Andover Service Circle—Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Campbell and the fifth and sixth grades of Andover Elementary School.

The building is included in the Heritage Day Tour Aug. 14, 1978. There are note paper, book marks, and poems on sale at the Library. All visitors are welcome.

Now books at the library are: Crowned Heads, Thomas Tryon; Rediscovering German Cookery, Mrs. Kenneth Bryckman; Castle Barabane, Joan Aiken; The Lynmar Legacy, Catherine Gaskin; The Siege of Wonder, Mark S. Gerson; Lord Rivington's, Eileen Jackson; Miss Martha Mary Crawford, Catherine Marchant; For Us the Living, Antonia Van Loon; Predictable Crisis of Adult Life, Gail Sheehy; The Fire Came By, John Baxter; Agent in Place, Helen MacInnes; The Jeweled Daughter, Anne Mayberry; Somewhere a Cat is Waiting, Derek Tangye; The Art of Living, Erik Fromm; From Woman to Woman, Lucienne Lanson; Foxfire #3, Elliot Wiggin; The Book of Abigail and John, L. H. Butterfield; The Fam-

BRYANT POND GIRL JOINS AIR FORCE DELAYED ENLISTMENT PROGRAM

Irene Howe has enlisted in the Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP) in the U. S. Air Force, pending regular enlistment in the active duty Air Force.

Irene is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Howe of Birch Street, Bryant Pond. She is a 1976 graduate of Telstar Regional High School. Her basic training will be at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas.

Under the DEP Irene was guaranteed her departure date and job choice. She selected a job in the electronic field. She enlisted in the Air Force Reserve and will enter active duty Sept. 1. Her time in the reserves will count towards pay raises.

Irene was recruited by Sgt. Wilfred Cloutier, Air Force recruiter for the Bryant Pond area. The sergeant may be reached at his office in Lewiston on 29 Lisbon St., or by calling 784-4922.

Recent guests of Mrs. Charles Eppner have been Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Chuck) Eppner and daughter Carla, West Berlin, Germany; Mrs. J. Logan Switzer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nuss Jr., Fort Worth, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Buratt and Mrs. Araxie Simonian, Providence, R. I.

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North East Lovell —

Pauline Smith, Corras.

Linda Allen, Cindy Fox and Misses called Sunday at the Roy Smith's.

Paul Fox and family from Monmouth had dinner at Charles Fox Sunday. Albert, Mary and children called, also Peter Fox and family, Linda Allen.

John Fox is better, is home and having callers.

Callers in honor of Marion Kendall's birthday Thursday were Louise Snyder, Barbara Lemay, Esther Harriman and Florence Tibbitts.

Vesta Nelson called on her cousin, Pauline Smith, Saturday.

Hazel Allen took Rita Ray to Norway this week.

Nate and Eleanor Smith visited Leroy and Pauline Smith this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benedix were married July 9, 1918 at St. Patrick's Church in Lewiston by Msgr. Michael McDonough. They are parents of 11 children, 50 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward Benedix

The party was given by the ten remaining children.

Mr. and Mrs. Benedix received flowers, many gifts and cards. A two tier anniversary cake was made by their daughter, Mrs. John (Irene) Webster. Mr. Benedix is retiring after being in business for many years as E. H. Benedix and Sons.

Their children are: Edward Jr. (deceased), Margaret Connors, Edna Benedix, Irene Webster, Robert Benedix, Madeline Fourier, Geraldine Cyr, George Benedix, Connie Gallant, James and Richard Benedix; 50 grandchildren, the youngest being Chucky Benedix, son of Richard and Charlene Philbrick Benedix.

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BETHEL SUMMER OLYMPICS AT CRESCENT PARK FIELD AUG. 9 & 10

The Crescent Park Field will be the location for Bethel's own summer Olympics. There will be two days of fun, excitement and competition for members of the Fun in the Sun Recreation Program and any other children in grades K-6 who would like to participate. The events will take place on Aug. 9 and 10 from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. All who plan to compete be at Crescent Park by 9 a. m. to sign up for events. There will be a \$1.00 fee for non-members of the recreation program for the two-day event. The rain date will be Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 10 and 11.

All members of the recreation program will meet Monday and Tuesday if it should rain Tuesday and Wednesday. There will be movies at the Moses Mason House Thursday at 9:30 and 1:00.

Some of the events will be an obstacle course, relay races, invisible distance throw, sack races, scavenger hunt, apple bobbing, egg throw, egg hunt, head standing and many more plus a surprise event. Bring a lunch and come join the fun. Everyone is welcome. If there are any questions, call Brenda Lyon, 836-2512.

In and About Bethel

Mrs. Abbie Brown is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital. Mrs. Aarne Cummings, Hartland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Olsson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Olson enjoyed the ball games in Boston on the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baudo and family of Cape Cod, Mass. returned to their home last Saturday after spending the month of July visiting with friends and relatives.



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